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R 161859Z JUN 78  
FM SECSTATE WASHDC  
TO AMEMBASSY COLOMBO  
INFO SECDEF WASHDC 0521  
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COMNAVSURFPAC SAN DIEGO CA  
USS TRUXTUN  
USDAO COLOMBO SRI LANKA  
COMNAVINTCOM ALEXANDRIA VA

S E C R E T STATE 153801

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: MNUC, OCLR, CE

SUBJECT: NPW VISIT TO SRI LANKA

REF: A. STATE 133534 (DTG 251919Z MAY 78) NOTAL  
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B. OPNAVINST 3128.3M  
C. COMSEVENTHFLT 101648Z JUN 78 NOTAL

1. AS INDICATED IN REFTEL A, THERE IS INTEREST IN OBTAINING  
AN NPW PORT VISIT TO COLOMBO IN JULY 1978. DEPARTMENT HAS  
NOW BEEN ADVISED BY NAVY OF THE DETAILS OF THE DESIRED VISIT.

2. EMBASSY IS REQUESTED TO PROCEED WITH FORMAL DIPLOMATIC CLEARANCE PROCEDURES AS OUTLINED IN REFTEL A. INFORMATION REQUIRED IS PROVIDED BELOW IN FORMAT OF REF B, HELD BY USDAO.

A.COLOMBO, SRI LANKA

B. ROUTINE (OPERATIONAL)

C. USS TRUXTUN (CGN-35); SALUTING

D. COMMANDING OFFICER: CAPT B.F. TALLY, USN DOR 01 OCT 73

E. 41 OFFICERS, 530 ENLISTED; MAX DAILY LIBERTY PARTY 350

F. ARR AM 17 JUL 78; DEP AM 19 JUL 78

G. DAILY MAIL/LOGISTICS HELICOPTER FLIGHTS DESIRED

H. LENGTH 564 FEET; BEAM 58 FT; DRAFT 30.5 FEET.

I. ADDITIONAL LOGISTICS REQUIREMENTS PROVIDED IN REFTEL C.  
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## Message Attributes

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